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REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT

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Sir:

On September 28, 2004 applicant's attorney filed an Amendment for the above-referenced application. On the fee transmittal which accompanied the amendment, the amount of \$216 was listed as the fee for extra claims.

On our deposit account statement for October 2004, applicant's attorney notes the charge for the extra claims is in the amount of \$324, which is the amount for 18 extra claims at \$18.00 per extra claim. On the deposit account statement, the posting date is listed as 10/07/04 and the posting reference is 10625427.

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Applicant's attorney requests a refund in the amount of \$108, which is the difference between the charge of \$324 for 18 extra claims and the correct amount due of \$216 for 12 extra claims.

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